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The FOUNDATION OF COMFORT



EVERY enduring superstructure in this world must have a good foundation. This is of primary importance. As a good foundation upon which to build your health and happiness, nothing can be more substantial than properly cared-for feet. If you have two good feet under you, take care of them. Put them into the right shoes—and you may expect the permanent basis of real and lasting foot-comfort. Every "INVICTUS" last is a faithful mould of the human foot, and upon it, from the very best materials, is made "The Best Good Shoe."

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AROUND THE TOWN

Miss Ethel Nixon returned from a visit to her brother at Moosejaw, Sask., on Sunday last.

Mr. C. Smith of Tilsonbury, Ont., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. Youngs west of town for a few days.

"Billie Taylor is an effervescent concoction of mirth and melody and pleasing sensations to the optical nerve.

Miss Florence Hall has returned from her trip to the old country and resumed her music class on Friday the 13th.

A thimble tea will be held at the home of Mrs. A. G. Studer, Wednesday, Sept. 25, from 3 to 5 p. m. Bring your work.

J. A. Anderson returned from the east country, where he has been roaming around for the last few weeks, on Sunday night.

Mr. John McGee of Edmonton, father of "Jimmy" the C. P. R. agent, spent Saturday and Sunday in town visiting with his son.

Service will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Brown of Carstairs in the Methodist church at 8 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. Special music.

Don't forget that the Didsbury Fall Fair takes place on Thursday, October 3rd. All entries must be made by 8 p. m. Wednesday, Oct. 2nd.

A dance will be held in the Opera House on Friday night. Music will be supplied by the local orchestra and an enjoyable time is promised.

Mr. and Mrs. John Christner, who have been residing in Calgary for some time, returned to their farm west of town to reside for a short time.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical church will offer for sale by auction a number of home made comfortors at the Fair grounds, October 3rd.

Mrs. Stark and Dolly left on Tuesday for a trip to the States. They will stop over at Winnipeg, St. Paul and Minneapolis and will return by way of Chicago.

See Charlie Cooper, the wonderful boy comedian, in his side-splitting characterization of Ben Barnacles, the old sea dog in "Billie Taylor" at the Opera House Sept. 24th.

The death of Mrs. Fred Diedrick, mother of Mr. Diedrick, died at Havelock, Iowa, on Saturday last. She was 69 years of age and leaves six sons and five daughters to mourn her loss. Her husband died about eighteen months ago. Mrs. Diedrick was buried on Tuesday at Havelock.

The fruit dealers in Didsbury should give their wholesale men to understand that they will not be held up by any fruit combine. People living in towns to the north and south of us are able to buy their fruit much cheaper and it is causing dissatisfaction with those who deal here. Although the retailers may not be to blame they should take steps to enquire into this matter and do the best they can for their customers and get the same advantages for them as these other towns are getting.

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"The Christian Socialist" is the subject which the pastor of the Baptist church hopes to speak on on Sunday morning next, and in the evening on, "If Christ Came to Didsbury, What?" Services at 11 and 7.30. All are heartily invited.

The many friends of Mrs. F. Dolman, who had the misfortune to be thrown from her horse some days ago, receiving a compound fracture of the leg, will be glad to hear that she is slowly recovering from the shock and is on the high road to recovery.

All young ladies of Didsbury and vicinity are invited to attend a meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Daum on Monday evening, September 23, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a girls' White Ribbon Society in connection with the W. C. T. U.

Tommy Stark, "the boy who put Didsbury on the map," and who has been catching for the Bassano baseball team all season, returned home on Sunday night. Messrs. L. Reddick and Slim O'Neil of the same team came up for a few days shooting with Tommy.

The theft of a watch and camera in the Golden West Hotel caused some commotion in town on Saturday. Through the efforts of the proprietor of the hotel and the owner of the articles the thief was caught a short time afterwards. He was brought up before Justices Atkins and Shantz on Saturday afternoon but as the stolen articles were returned by the prisoner and he did not seem to realize what he had done he was ordered out of town, the constable putting him on the night train for the south.


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 Barber—Did your mother say I was to give you a close crop?
 Boy—No, but I got a teacher who pulls hair.
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Slow
 Nellie—Is that fellow of yours ever going to get up the courage to propose?
 Belle—I guess not. He's like an hour glass.
 Nellie—An hour glass?
 Belle—Yes, the more time he gets the less sand he has.
 The transition from winter's cold to summer's heat frequently puts a strain upon the system that produces internal complications, always painful and often serious. A common form of disorder is dysentery, to which many are prone in the spring and summer. The very best medicine to use in subduing this painful ailment is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It is a standard remedy, sold everywhere.

Yes, said the small boy to the reporter, who was looking for some news to put in his paper, mother fell downstairs and broke three legs.
 Pshaw! What are you giving me, youngster? cried the reporter. Don't be too funny. Your mother hasn't got three legs.
 I didn't say she had, started the wicked boy. The legs belonged to a table which mother fell against. She wasn't hurt at all.
 Aunt Anna asked her little nephew what he would like to give his cousin for his birthday.
 I know, he answered, but I ain't big enough.

RIGHT HOME
Doctor Recommends Postum from Personal Test.
 No one is better able to realize the injurious action of caffeine—the drug in coffee—on the heart, than the doctor. Tea is just as harmful as coffee because it, too, contains the drug caffeine.
 When the doctor himself has been relieved by simply leaving off coffee and using Postum he can refer with full conviction to his own case.
 A Mo. physician prescribes Postum for many of his patients because he was benefited by it. He says:
 "I wish to add my testimony in regard to that excellent preparation—Postum. I have had functional or nervous heart troubles for over 15 years, and a part of the time was unable to attend to my business.
 "I was a moderate user of coffee and did not think drinking it hurt me." But on stopping it and using Postum instead, my heart has got all right, and I ascribe it to the change from coffee to Postum.
 "I am prescribing it now in cases of sickness, especially when coffee does not agree, or affects the heart, nerves or stomach.
 "When made right it has a much better flavour than coffee, and is a vital sustainer of the system. I shall continue to recommend it to our people, and I have my own case to refer to." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

As Far as He Had Traced It
 Can you tell me where this road leads to? asked the man in the automobile.
 No, replied the farmer. I understand you can reach Chicago by following it, but I couldn't tell you where it goes after that.

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Big League Repartee
 The baseball manager inspected the applicant for a job.
 Well, young man, he asked, what can you do?
 I can do something no other pitcher can. I'm a ventriloquist. I can throw my voice.
 Nothing doing, my son. The umpire would call a bawl on you every time.
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Hard
 Maud—Beatrice has lost twenty pounds lately; her new gowns are perfect successes; her sweetheart proposed to her last night; her rich uncle died yesterday and left her a million, and now she has to go to his funeral today and try to look sad.
Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper
Dollars Versus Hairs
 Gibbs—In a way I've as much as John D.
 Dibbs—Nonsense! Why, Rockefeller has a dollar for every hair on your head.
 Gibbs—Well, I'll bet I've a dollar for every hair on his head.

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During the last few years the price of raw produce of farms in the United States of America has risen by 36 per cent.
 Pupil (to schoolmaster)—Sir, would you mind taking great care how you draw up my report? My parents suffer dreadfully from nerves.


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Because a letter signed "Resident" was published in last week's issue of the Pioneer, the said letter containing a sane criticism of the way in which the condition of the local cemetery had been allowed to become a disgrace to those responsible, Mr. David Shantz made it a matter for a personal attack on us on the main street one day because we dared to publish this letter. Right here and now we wish to say that as far as we are concerned we do not care what his opinion may be about us personally, and in a public matter of this kind we will continue to publish letters which are sent to us for the good of the public welfare, as we consider that when men who are in responsible positions take such pains to tell us personally what they think we consider that the heaven is working and that they are awakening to a sense of their duties to the positions which they hold. If anyone has a grievance against us or on public matters they are at perfect liberty to use our columns to air their grievances, and if Mr. Shantz or the other trustees feel that they have been hardly dealt with our columns are open to them to explain their position the same as any other person.

Coming down to brass tacks and the cemetery question the conditions spoken of in the letter last week are certainly not a credit to any person, much less to a body of men who are elected to look after these matters. If they do not want the position let them come out in the open and say so and resign. Again if there are no funds for the purpose of keeping the cemetery in decent shape—although the revenue from the sale of lots should be fairly adequate—then there is no doubt whatever that those who have suffered by the loss of their loved ones, who have found their last resting place in this little God's acre, will be only too glad to give their mite towards that end, and those responsible have only to make the matter known to the general public who would donate enough to at least keep the fences and roads in repair, which is a small expense. If Mr. Shantz will only do as he stated and call a public meeting, every person should make it a point to attend and discuss this matter in a sane light so that some remedy would be found.

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The meeting of the Alberta Municipalities, held at Innisfail last week, brought out the fact that there is a tremendous lot of dissatisfaction with the powers that be at Edmonton over the new Town Act. In fact when the Alberta Legislature meets again they will have to remedy some mighty poor legislation passed at their last session. The new act was not supposed to come into force for some time, in fact not for some years, if we remember rightly, and whether this was a blind to keep the opponents of single tax quiet till the other party could get in their fine work is a matter for quiet thinking; however, it transpired that the Act suddenly came into force early this year with the consequence that it has upset the whole financial working of the smaller towns and cities in the Province. In fact it has done more than that. It will set them back for some time to come till they can see a way to readjust their affairs to suit the new conditions that have arisen because they will object to striking a tax rate of from 8 to 10 per cent. on land, as some of them have had to do this year, the effect of which will be to stop all improvements because they will only strike a rate that will cover their present indebtedness, which in some cases is pretty high. Another oversight in the new Act that one would have thought should have been apparent when it was passed is that a man comes into a town and rents an empty store for a general grocery or dry goods or a good many other businesses, he is exempt from all taxation or business license whatever, while a working man who owns a small lot but has nothing only his weekly wage to depend on, has to pay taxes on this lot to make improvements so that the other fellow can do business. If the Rural Municipalities Act is as loosely drawn up as the Town Act then we do not wonder that it is not meeting with the success it might otherwise do.

An article that has real merit should in time become popular. That such is the case with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been attested by many dealers. Here is one of them. W. H. Hendrickson, Ohio Falls, Ind., writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best for coughs, colds and croup, and is my best seller." For sale by all dealers.

AUCTION SALES

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Cattle Brands

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J. F. Friesen EAST OF TRACK

The Joke on Father

William had just returned from college, resplendent in loud-checked trousers, silk hosiery, a fancy waistcoat, a necktie that spoke for itself. He entered the library where his father was reading. The old gentleman looked up and surveyed his son. The longer he looked the more disgusted he became.
"Son," he finally blurted out, "you look like a silly fool!"
Later the old major who lived next door came in, and greeted the boy heartily.
"William," he said with undisguised admiration, "you look exactly like your father did twenty five years ago, when he came back from school."
"Yes," said William with a smile. "So father was just telling me."

Offensive Arms

There has been a change in sections 123 4 of the Criminal Code of Canada, and the change will materially affect a large number of storekeepers as well as other people.
This change makes it a criminal offense for any person to expose for sale, sell privately or publicly any sling shot, knuckle duster, bowie knife dagger or any instrument loaded at one end. The penalty for having one of these weapons in possession either privately or for sale or barter is a fine of not less than \$10 or not more than \$50, or imprisonment not exceeding three months or, both as the magistrate may decide. Incidentally the same penalty is attached to the carrying of an air gun by masked men.—The Commercial.

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(Continued)

Hour by hour the sky grew heavier; in color it was a thick blue-grey, with here and there sulphurous lines of vapor showing among the opaque and motionless clouds. There was not an animal on the farm but knew a heavy storm was coming, but Harry, being unversed in the ways of the English climate, was by no means so certain.

I shouldn't advise you to go very far or you might get a drenching, sir, the hostler at the Royal Hotel stables told him when he went there to order a saddle-horse for the afternoon. The weather's a-bound to break before sundown.

By four o'clock he was high among the chalk hills and the barrows, shading his eyes with his hand from the glare of the burning sun to gaze across at the historic castle, left frowning in defiant ruins on the steep hill which rises from an odd little old-world village which Thomas Hardy has christened 'Corvesgate.'

The sound of cantering hoofs behind him made him hold in his horse and turn to see Lillias Morgan ride up to his side.

She wore a white linen coat and skirt and a Panama hat with a black

Eczema Always Burning and Itching



Mr. N. Ostiguy.

Used Box of Cuticura Ointment and It Completely Disappeared.

"I have suffered from eczema for two years. The trouble began on one arm where there appeared a red spot of about a five-cent size, and it always widened, all the time itching and burning. The first days I didn't care, but seeing that it gained in size, I tried Ointment and Ointment, but both without success. It was always burning and itching. Having seen in the newspaper the advertisement of the Cuticura Remedies, I tried a little, and seeing that it improved, I bought a box of the Cuticura Ointment. After having used one box, my eczema completely disappeared. The Cuticura Ointment should be kept in every home." (Signed) N. Ostiguy, Mariville, Que., Jan. 14, 1911.

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ribbon. This form of headgear, which is usually unbecoming to women, suited perfectly her drab, high-bred prettiness. She was neither so thin nor so pale as she had been in the old hard-working days. A life with good and regular food, with no ambitions, and with plenty of exercise in the splendid Dorsetshire air, suited her amazingly well. However much the rules at Vale House might bore her; and Harry thought as he looked at her that she was really sweetly pretty.

She held out a small hand in a white riding glove, and smiled with delighted friendliness.

This is instinct! she exclaimed joyously. I felt certain I should meet you out riding to-day, and just about here.

It is odd, but I, too, had an idea that I should meet you, he returned. Still you know, Miss Morgan, I think I ought not to speak to you after what your uncle said.

He didn't make you promise not to speak to me, did he? she asked anxiously.

Certainly not. Had he wanted to exact it, I should never have given such a promise.

Then we needn't worry our heads about him, need we?

Still, I suppose as he has adopted you—

He is tired of it already, she said. So am I. I shan't be able to stand much more of it. And until I suddenly pack up and go back to the stage, I mean to do as I like.

But when he hears that I have met and spoken with you, will he not be furious?

He is always furious. Nine mornings out of ten he wakes up in a raging bad temper.

I am afraid he must have been fearfully cross the other night?

He was. He and I had a magnificent fight which went on all the next day. It was most stimulating.

About me?

Yes. Mrs. Warne wanted to agree with my uncle; but when she realised that you were a baronet she softened in your favor. Sir Henry seems an agreeable person, she said, but for the unfortunate fact that he is a Clavel. Mrs. Warne thinks that anyone with a title is only a little lower than the angels.

I haven't got a title yet. I have to prove my claim, you know. Harry said. You seem to have changed your views, Miss Morgan. Don't you remember that you told me in New York, Clavel was an unlucky and an evil name; and that, in short, no one of the name of Clavel had any right to live.

She blushed deeply, and lowered her eyes from his face.

You see I didn't know any Clavels then, she murmured, and so I suppose I couldn't judge. I had always been brought up to consider them my born enemies.

And do you consider me your enemy?

No, indeed! A great friend. Montague and Camille, he said laughing; and he half regretted the comparison as he saw the blood rush to her face again, and remembered how Romeo and Juliet had grown to love each other, not wisely, but too well.

(To be Continued)

Irate Father—I'm getting tired of this nonsense. You've been engaged to that young man for six months. Does he ever intend to marry you?

Daughter—You must have patience, papa. Remember, he's an actor.

Irate Father—What has that to do with it?

Daughter—Why, he's fond of long engagements.

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ROAD TO NORTH SEA

COCHRANE BELIEVES IN HUDSON BAY ROUTE

Visits the North and Returns With First Hand Information—Has Now Every Faith in Practicability of the Undertaking, and Will Put Energy Into the Work.

Ottawa.—I have returned from the North a convert to the Hudson Bay route. If I needed conversion, I have returned with every faith in the scheme; I will shove this road for all I'm worth.

Thus spoke Hon. Frank Cochrane on his return to his office from his trip over the route of the railroad and home by the Bay Straits.

He was in conference most of the day with J. P. Gordon, assistant engineer of the road, and other experienced men as regards the terminals.

I see, said Mr. Cochrane, that the papers are saying Port Nelson has been selected as the terminal. This is not correct; I have not come to a decision. The engineers are working on the pros and cons of the route and weighing the advantages and disadvantages of the two ports. I want to be absolutely right in my decision.

I expect the answer of the engineers within a day or so and then there will be a final announcement.

It is understood that Mr. Cochrane found Port Churchill by far the best natural route. It will take several millions to make Nelson an up-to-date terminal.

On the other hand the Nelson route is eighty-five miles shorter. This is one thing the engineers are estimating, as to whether the saving by the shorter route to Nelson overbalances the extra harbor cost or not.

We intend to make this a good road and make no mistake, said Mr. Cochrane with emphasis. It will be a splendidly built line; we have a four-tenths grade, we are using 80 lb rails so you will see it is no poor fare.

I believe that the Hudson Bay route will mean much to the West in the way of lower freight rates. It will be a real leveller East and West. Just consider how much cheaper iron, steel, and coal for instance, from Sydney, could be shipped to the prairies. It will be of the greatest advantage to the East and I believe Eastern opposition is dying out.

We found the bay free from ice—in fact the only ice we saw to amount to anything was the bergs near Bellefleur, where all the Atlantic steamers encounter them.

The straits are very wide, and with the aid of the wireless I believe can be kept open for a long period. Wireless stations and other aids to navigation will be established as soon as needed. The Government steamers Arctic and Minto are under orders to remain as long as possible in the straits to find out definitely how long they are open. If the route was only open two months after the wheat of the west started to move it would be worth while, as you are as near Liverpool as from Halifax.

Saskatoon which is about the centre of the wheat growing district, I am told, is six hundred miles from Nelson and nine hundred or thereabouts from Fort William.

At Fort William there is still fifteen hundred miles to go to reach Montreal, while the ocean route to England is about the same as from Hudson Bay.

The insurance of course will be higher for some years at least while the season is short and it may be hard to make ends meet in the race first. However, I believe they will shortly. In fact the will have to, if at all possible be reduced.

NATIVES TO VOTE

One of India's Rulers Will Try Interesting Experiment

London.—That the 500,000 natives who form the population of the Indian state of Jhalawar are to have a chance of trying constitutional government is due largely to their ruler's desire for a new sensation. The Maharaja of Jhalawar, an enlightened despot who is allowed a pretty free hand by the British authorities, and while in London he amused himself by looking into the constitutional system. He was tickled to death by British parliamentary methods and immediately decided to experiment on his own account. Like a cautious despot, however, he isn't going to allow his subjects too much freedom all at once and he does not figure on giving votes to more than about five thousand of his most trustworthy men just yet.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA TO RUSSIA

Her Majesty Will be Guest of Empress Marie This Winter

London.—Queen Alexandra will spend several weeks in Russia this coming winter. Her Majesty will be the guest of the Empress Marie at the castle of Gatchina, an interesting and picturesque imperial residence. The Queen-Dowager may visit the Kaiserin at Potsdam next month.

Immigrants for Fisheries

Vancouver.—Sir George Doughty, who has acquired large fishing interests in the Queen Charlotte Islands and other northern points, before leaving here for England today, declared that the Canadian government should do something towards bringing in a class of immigrants that could be used in the fisheries.

LOYD-GEORGE MAY VISIT U.S.

Says He Will Take First Opportunity of Visiting the States

London.—Replying to a deputation of American-Welshmen who invited him to attend the International Eisteddfod at Pittsburgh next year, Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George said he had received many invitations to visit the United States but of late years he had been rather busy—much busier than some people would like to see him. He certainly meant to avail himself of the first opportunity of paying that visit. It was, however, out of the question to accept an invitation for the next Fourth of July, but if there was a possibility that a more convenient day could be fixed, he would certainly take the matter into consideration. Nothing, said Mr. Lloyd-George, would give him greater pleasure than to talk in their own tongue to his fellow countrymen in the great continent of America.

MONEY ORDERS IN THE YUKON

Post Office Department Re-Arrange Matters so that Cost be Halved

Ottawa, Ont.—The Finance Department announces an important improvement in the conditions under which business is transacted between the Yukon and other parts of Canada and the United States.

By an arrangement dating back to January 1, 1905, the cost of money orders issued at post offices in the Yukon, payable in Canada and the United States, was double that charged elsewhere in Canada. The post office and Finance Department have recently been looking into the matter and have re-arranged the agreement with the Canadian Bank of Commerce so that the business is done on the same basis as that which prevails in other parts of the country, no special tolls being charged. Thus the cost of these transactions has been halved.

TOUR OF ENGLAND AND FRANCE

The "Presse" of Montreal Commends such a trip for Canadian Business Men

Montreal.—The Presse editorially commends the scheme of the Chambre de Commerce to organize a tour of England and France by Canadian business men representing all chambers of commerce throughout the Dominion.

The idea, says The Presse, is easy of realization. We are convinced every chamber of commerce throughout Canada will be glad to aid in the perfecting of such a scheme.

To a body of business men thus brought together the Government itself would, we feel sure, be happy to accord the sanction of its authority.

Grain Elevator Syndicate

Toronto.—Inquiry at the Toronto office of the Royal Securities Company regarding the purchase of 80 grain elevators in the west by Sir Max Aitken and R. B. Bennett, M.P. for Calgary, elicited the fact that Sir Max's trip to the West was taking with the expressed intention of putting this deal through.

The capacity of the elevators just purchased is three million bushels.

It is the intention of the new company to ship their cargoes by way of the Pacific and through the Panama Canal.

Alberta Lumber Merger

Lethbridge.—One of the biggest deals which has been consummated this year, affecting the lumber business in southern Alberta, was closed when the Farmers' Lumber Company sold out its outside yards to the Citizens' and Pioneer Lumber Companies, which are now practically merged, with their head offices here.

Ten yards are affected, those sold are at Grassy Lake, Purple Springs, Winnifred, Whiffa, Milk River, New Dayton, Magrath, Diamond City, Taber and Bardett. The Lethbridge yard is retained by the Farmers' Lumber Co. No figures as to the amount of money involved in the deal have been made public.

Sir Thomas Lipton to Visit West

Toronto.—The Mail and Empire says:—Sir Thomas Lipton has at last definitely decided to visit Canada. He will be in Toronto and other Canadian cities some time during October. The details of his itinerary have not been completed but will be known before long. He is leaving near the end of September with the object of taking a pleasure trip through the United States and Canada, especially the north-western portion of the Dominion. He intended to take this trip when he was in America in 1909 but was prevented from so doing. He intends this time to go as far as the Pacific Coast.

Lloyd's Gives China Loan

London.—An agreement for a loan to China for \$50,000,000 at 5 per cent. for forty years, was signed August 30, by the Chinese minister and representatives of Lloyd's Bank. The loan is secured upon unploughed revenue, chiefly the salt duty. It is to be free of control and supervision, which proved an obstacle to the loan by the six nation group. The salt duty however is to be controlled by the British Inspector-General of customs, in case of default.

Wendell Jackson, an American, is said to have arranged the agreement. It is contended in some quarters that the Chinese minister was without the power to sign the agreement.

GREAT RAILWAY CHAIN

HUGE RAILWAY PROJECT IN CHINA IS ADVOCATED

Dr. Sun Yat Sen Has a Progressive Programme for the Modernization of China—Concessions to be Given to Foreigners, and Country to be Opened to Foreign Enterprise.

Pekin.—The project for a great scheme for Chinese railways, which holds the foremost place in Dr. Sun Yat Sen's programme for the modernization of China, has commanded the support of the Peking Government and it may involve a great extension of the privileges of foreigners in the country, and the possibilities of an immense increase in Chinese foreign trade.

The Government has authorized Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who was formerly provisional president of the Republic to establish a railway corporation to carry out a system of national railways covering territory 70,000 miles in extent.

Mixed Chinese and foreign companies will be granted concessions throughout China proper, for periods of 40 years, after which time the lines are to revert to China.

Similar concessions are to be given to foreigners for the intermediate districts, but the railroads in the frontier provinces will be under exclusively Chinese control and will be financed through foreign loans apart from the other railways.

Dr. Sen's proposals are to open the whole of China to foreign enterprise but to make foreigners amenable to Chinese laws, for which special courts are to be established.

The Government has not sanctioned the last feature of the projects, but Dr. Sen fully expects they will approve.

The French, German and American banks will participate with Lloyd's Bank in the new loans to China of \$50,000,000 the agreement for which recently was signed.

The terms of this agreement include the starting of a bank, having its head office in London, with a prominent English financier as chairman of the board of directors, and a subordinate board at Peking.

The bank is to be capitalized at \$10,000,000, half of which will be subscribed by Chinese.

President Yuan Shi Kai proposes to give Dr. Yat Sen 30,000 taels (\$20,000) monthly to promote his scheme of railways throughout China, and the Provincial Assembly is expected to agree to this.

Dr. Sen proposes to borrow abroad giving the railways as security until the profits will pay the loans, whereupon the lines will become Government property.

This is considered a clever political move, for while many sections of the country distrust Yuan Shi Kai recognizing only his capability, Dr. Sun Yat Sen is a popular hero, who is most likely to persuade the National Assembly to accept foreign railways, which was the cause of revolution.

ALASKAN BOUNDARY SURVEY

Party Reach Dawson After Marking Line Between Yukon and Alaska

Dawson.—The International Boundary survey party, which has been marking the line between Alaska and Yukon Territory, arrived here recently, having completed the task of surveying the 142nd meridian from the Pacific to the Arctic Ocean.

At the north end of the line a bronze monument was placed just out of reach of the highest waves and smaller monuments were set every three miles along the line.

Geologists accompanied the expedition and made a complete survey.

How it Affects Canada

Montreal.—The department of public works will shortly issue a report on the probable effect on Canadian transcontinental traffic, particularly as regards grain, on the opening of the Panama canal. It will be stated that wheat going through the canal and coming in contact with the heat that will inevitably be experienced in that latitude will be liable to what is technically known as sweating and conditions will be created that will foster weevils. For these reasons shippers will be advised in their own interests to continue shipping their grain by northern water routes.

Russian Marines Arrested

London.—Four hundred men attached to the Battleship Ioann Zlatoust and the protected cruisers Kagul and Pamyat Merkuria, of the Russian Black Sea fleet have been arrested at Sebastopol according to an Odessa dispatch to the Standard. Captain Shubin, one of those taken into custody attempted suicide. Many petty officers are included among the prisoners.

Arrests continue in connection with the arrests on warships and the private quarters of officers ashore are being systematically searched.

Dry Farming Congress

Lethbridge.—The board of control of the International Dry Farming Congress has arranged for the care and comfort of a large number of farmers from one hundred miles or so distant from the city by setting apart a large tract of land adjacent to the exposition grounds as a tented city. Farmers who can do so are urged to come prepared to stay the entire week and to drive in and camp with the others making a most congenial party.

75,000 DEATHS IN CHINA STORM

Typhoon Means Millions Homeless and Destitute as Crops are Ruined

Shanghai.—That the number of deaths in the typhoon which swept Chekiang Province, August 29, was nearer 75,000 than 45,000, as first reported is indicated by messages received from Hankow, the provincial capital.

The number of homeless and destitute, it is stated, run into millions; unless aid is immediately forthcoming hundreds of thousands will die of starvation.

Local relief committees are doing their best to relieve the situation, but the magnitude of the disaster has swamped them.

The government lacks funds.

Several foreign missionaries are reported to have drowned.

The catastrophe's suddenness was appalling.

The storm began early in the morning and during the forenoon the wind attained hurricane violence.

About time for high tide there came a sudden torrential downpour of rain, which overflowed numerous streams, emptying into the Yellow sea along the Chekiang coast.

With rivers already over their shallow banks, the incoming tide rushed up their estuaries to an unprecedented height.

The water rose faster than a man could run and almost in an instant all the coast towns were inundated.

Then it receded with a rush, carrying several towns with all their inhabitants with it, leaving scarcely a trace of them behind.

Wenchow, with a population of 80,000, among the cities is practically obliterated.

Of Chu Chow and Tsin Tien little remains and of Koenoi nothing it left whatever.

Chekiang is the smallest, but one of the most thickly populated provinces in China.

It has nearly 127,000,000 inhabitants. Along the coast, very low and flat and gridironed by an immense number of canals and rivers the most intensive culture of its farm is necessary to support the people, and the destruction by the flood of thousands of acres of crops inevitably means an enormous loss of life by famine.

Shanghai and Hangchow, two of the most important cities in Eastern China also suffered considerably by the typhoon.

Protection for Homesteaders

Winnipeg.—The following wire was received by the officials of the Dominion land department from Ottawa: "Entrants who apply to the department directly or through local agents, for permission to leave their land, for the purpose of engaging in harvesting operations, are to be granted protection while so absent. All such applications for leave are to be forwarded by agents promptly."

This is a new departure and is being put in operation now for the first time with a view to assisting in the harvesting of the crop, as well as affording the homesteader an opportunity of making money without danger of losing his homestead should he leave it to work elsewhere.

BEAUTIFYING OTTAWA CITY

Sir Thomas Mawson Makes Some Suggestions to Premier Borden

Ottawa.—Sir Thomas Mawson, the celebrated English landscape architect who is in Ottawa, en route to Vancouver, for which city he has drafted a scheme of natural developments had a conference with Premier Borden in regard to the Government plans to further beautify the Capital.

It is understood that Mr. Mawson made some suggestions which would improve the plans of beautifying outlined by the existing improvement Commission.

Mr. Mawson declined to discuss the report the he is likely to be engaged by the Government to carry on the work for the present Government.

An Appeal to Canadian Methodism

Toronto.—An appeal from the Methodist conferences of Saskatchewan and Alberta for 100 young men to enter the ministry and fill existing vacancies is published in the current issues of the Christian Guardian and is characterized editorially by the Guardian as one which will test the Methodism of this country as it has not been tested in many days. The appeal is signed by John A. Doyle, president of the Saskatchewan conference, and P. P. Perry, president of the Alberta conference.

No Joke About It

London.—The Times, in an editorial this morning declares that the idea advanced by some American papers that the British Panama protest is not meant seriously is erroneous. The Times adds:

Great Britain has no intention of allowing her treaty rights to go by default, but will assert them by all the diplomatic means at her disposal and if these fail, she will demand arbitration at The Hague.

Naval Triple Alliance

London.—The Daily Graphic suggests that the decision of France to concentrate her fleet in the Mediterranean taken together with England's virtual desertion of the Mediterranean in favor of the North Sea, is the corollary of the recent Russo-French naval agreement, and indicates a practical understanding for a naval triple alliance between England, France and Russia.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON XII—THIRD QUARTER FOR SEPT. 22, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Mark vi, 30-44. Memory Verses, 41, 42—Golden Text, John vi 35—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The words of verse 30 are most practical and remind us of our great privilege of telling all that we do and teach to Jesus, receiving our messages from Him and trusting Him to work in us to will and to do of His good pleasure. It is the old lesson of Prov. iii, 6, "In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths," and the new one of Phil. iv 6, 7. There is nothing like talking it over with Him both before and after. I am always reminded by this verse in our lesson of a little book entitled "Tell Jesus," by Anna Shipston.

The words "No leisure so much as to eat" (verse 31) give us some idea of His day by day busy, crowded full life, for others, seven days a week, even on the Sabbath day (Mark i, 21-31; Matt. xii 12; John ix, 4, 14), for He taught that it is lawful to do well on that day also. Our own works or words are not lawful on that day (Isa. lviii, 13, 14), neither do they count at any time. "Come apart and rest awhile" does sound refreshing to a weary one, but we shall see how they rested. When the people knew that He had started across the sea they ran afoot out of all cities and outwent them, and when Jesus came He saw much people and was moved with compassion and received them and, as was his custom spoke unto them of the kingdom of God and healed them that had need of healing (verses 33, 34; Luke ix, 11). May the mention of the kingdom always lead us from the heart to say "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven" (Matt. vi, 10), for less than that will not be the kingdom of God. John tells us that it was Passover time and that also suggests a phase of the kingdom, for at the last Passover Jesus said, "I will not any more eat thereof until it be fulfilled in the kingdom of God" (Luke xxii, 16). That will be the time of Israel's restoration at the beginning of the millennial kingdom.

As the day began to wear away the disciples came to Jesus, asking Him to send the multitudes away that they might buy themselves bread, and to their astonishment, He said: "They need not depart. Give ye them to eat." To prove Philip He asked him "Whence shall we buy bread that these may eat?" For He Himself knew what He would do, as He always does, for He is perfect in knowledge, and every purpose of His shall be performed (John vi, 5, 6; Job xxxvi, 4; Jer. ii 29). Philip might wisely have replied, Lord, Thou knowest; Thou didn't feed many thousands in the wilderness for forty years and there is nothing too hard for Thee (Jer. xxxii, 17). But Philip knew neither his Lord nor himself, and on the night before the crucifixion Jesus had occasion to say to him, "Have I been so long time with you and yet hast thou not known me, Philip?" (John xiv 9). Philip's reply in our lesson story (John vi, 7) shows that he was capable of and evidently did some mental figuring, but to him the case was hopeless.

Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, somehow found out that there was a lad in the company who had five barley loaves and two small fishes, and he ventured to mention it but with no hope that they would be of any service among so many. (John vi 8, 9). Jesus said, "Bring them hither to Me," just as He said concerning the lunatic boy at the foot of the mount of transfiguration, "Bring him hither to me!" (Mat. xiv, 18; xvii 17). The unfailing remedy for every trouble is, Tell it to Jesus, Bring it to Jesus, for He said, "Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest." Having made the multitude sit down in companies by hundreds and fifties on the green grass (verses 39, 40). He took the loaves and the fishes and looked up to heaven and gave thanks, blessing the food, and then gave it to the disciples to pass on to the multitudes. There would be at least fifty companies of a hundred each or a hundred companies of fifty each, so the disciples had enough to do to make them forget themselves for a while. We might like to know how He could divide five loaves and two small fishes among twelve disciples and how much each had to start with and just how the food multiplied as they gave it out but we are not told and so must leave it. We are told that they did all eat and were filled. 5,000 men besides women and children (Matt. xiv, 21). And that twelve baskets full of the fragments were gathered up when all was over. A little later he fed 4,000 men with seven loaves and a few little fishes and they were filled and seven baskets of fragments gathered up (Matt. xv, 32-38; Mark viii, 1, 9). Yet soon after when crossing the sea with His disciples they had only one loaf with them, they thought from something He said that He was upbraiding them for forgetting to take bread seemingly forgetting the miraculous supply of the two great recent events (Mark viii 13-21).

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For instance one of these boats, the Titan, had 3,000 bales of silk in her strongroom worth \$1,500,000. Another large boat had \$1,350,000 worth of silk on board. The Titan, in addition to consignments of silk, had stored 19,406 cases of tea for consumers of that herbage on the Pacific coast.

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6 Purebred sow with litter of pigs 3 months and under.....	5	2

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3 Lamb.....	3	2

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3 Lamb.....	3	2

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2 Ewe, any age.....	3	2
3 Lamb.....	3	2

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1 Ram, any age.....	\$3	\$2
2 Ewe, any age.....	3	2
3 Lamb.....	3	2

For full information see

H. B. ATKINS, Secretary

Westcott News

Harvest is progressing favorably and if good weather continues most of the grain will be cut this week.

C. H. Rinehart has returned after a long absence and has unloaded a new threshing outfit. We understand he is going to take it east of the track.

Louis Ganzert of Illinois is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. R. Singer.

We are sorry to report the death of our friend and neighbor, Mr. Alex. Ross. Although in very poor health since his return from his visit to Scotland last winter, he appeared much better lately and the news of his death was unexpected. Mrs. Ross has the sympathy of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hodgson are spending anxious days at the bedside of their only child, a little under two years old. It has been ill for two weeks and at last reports was getting pretty low.

Quite a number of the young people of Westcott spent Sunday in Didsbury.

James Hughes delivered a fine bunch of beef cattle to Didsbury this week.

A search party was organized one day last week to search for Mr. and Mrs. Granaman's 3 year old girl who had wandered away during the day and was not located till long after dark, fast in a wire fence about one mile from home.

Neapolis News

Mrs. A. T. Prout visited N. J. Aslborg and family at Calgary a few days last week.

Mr. Con. Liesemer has made extensive improvements to his house, taking out most of the partitions and remodeling the entire inside until now he has as nicely arranged and convenient home as up to-date carpenters can make.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Ward visited at Tom Ward's Sunday.

Miss Alice Stuart is recovered from her illness and is receiving the calls of friends.

Mr. Edler of Ontario is visiting his son, Lincoln, at Berlin.

G. R. Oldham and wife visited with Mrs. Oldham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pierson of Carstairs, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Teeple of Michigan surprised his daughter, Mrs. A. T. Prout, by coming on a visit which will extend some weeks.

Mr. John Liesemer is erecting a substantial barn on his farm, which adds greatly to the appearance of the place.

Ray and Howard Hansen returned to Acme after a ten days' visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Kitley visited Dr. and Mrs. Adams Sunday.

Mr. Prout went to the coal mine Monday.

A Good Plan

Agricultural communities will be established on government and railroad lands in Alberta and neighboring provinces in western Canada and settled by young men and boys from England, if the plan, formulated by the educational committee of the London county council, is adopted. This is to be supplementary to the immigration work carried on in the old country by the Dominion government and the provinces.

W. Harbord, a member of the London county council and senior member of the various teachers' organizations of Great Britain, who is touring Canada on behalf of the first named body to report upon educational conditions in the seven provinces, proposes forming an organization composed of prominent educators and public men of England and Canada, which will select graduates of the common and grammar schools in England to become settlers in western Canada. The older boys are to receive a six weeks' course of training in established agricultural schools in England and settled in communities of 50 on large tracts of land.

Dormitories and club houses will be erected at various points, so that the young men may have proper social life instead of the present solitude of settlers in some of the remote districts. The club rooms will be

equipped with gymnasium apparatus, books and newspapers and bulletins and reports from agricultural and experimental stations and farmers in the district. The instructors will give attention to diversified farming, including dairying and live stock and poultry growing.

The chief work of the organization in England will be selecting suitable boys, who can be depended upon to carry through what they undertake. They will be for the most part sons of professional men in London and other large centers of population.

The younger boys will be chosen from among those who have not left school more than six months prior, as it has been observed that boys deteriorate rapidly in the city after leaving school. The boys will be brought to Canada immediately and placed in schools, to be created by the organization, where they will receive instruction in agriculture and horticulture, as well as in the various trades, in addition to the regular grammar school curriculum.

Mr. Harbord has been assured of support in influential circles in the old country, and says he has already gained the approval of Hon. Geo. E. Foster and other prominent citizens of the Dominion. He has also presented a memorandum to Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of the interior, of his plan for the settlement in western Canada of graduates of British secondary schools. While in the west Mr. Harbord will study the country and observe conditions that might require the modification of his present plan.

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There are people who tell you that everything in the body is changed every seven years, and that there is no part of it which was there seven years ago. This does not mean that the body changes its form all at once, as a snake does its skin or a deer its antlers, but simply that the innumerable and tiny atoms which are used up by the daily wear and tear are replaced by fresh atoms supplied by our food and drink, which keep the body going, just as coal and water keep the steam-engine at work.

But these changes are so minute and gradual that the form of the body remains the same, although such things as scars take a long time to disappear, and sometimes they remain for life, although they always lose a great deal of their prominence.

You may have noticed that if you cut your finger lightly it will soon heal up and the scar presently disappear, just as the marks of a superficial burn will gradually go away; but if the cut is deep the scar remains. This is because it went down to what is called the true skin. Any cuts, stains, or burns on the outer skin are gradually pushed up and worn or washed off, just as the hair on the back of your hand wears off without your cutting it and grows again; but anything that goes down to the true skin, like tattoo marks, always remains.

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At last one of them determined to settle the matter.

Pardon me, sir, he said suavely, but I feel sure that you are one of us. What do you travel in?

The others bent forward eagerly, as the stout man slowly lowered his newspaper and peered through his spectacles, with sad and melancholy mien, at the persistent one.

Well, my friend, replied he, at present I am travelling in very inquisitive and objectionable company, and the carriage is full of samples.

Following the Hounds

Smith was a great cyclist, but had rarely been on a horse. One day when staying with a sporting uncle he thought he would like to follow the hounds, which were to meet near by, so he borrowed from a young relative a horse which was not much accustomed to the hunting field. At first he went steadily until the horse, being startled by a rabbit darting from a clump of grass, broke into a mad gallop. The rider was flung forward on the horse's neck.

What are you doing, my lad, with your arm there? jokingly called out his uncle.

I'm feeling for the brake, was the muffled reply, but I can't find it.

The Black Hand

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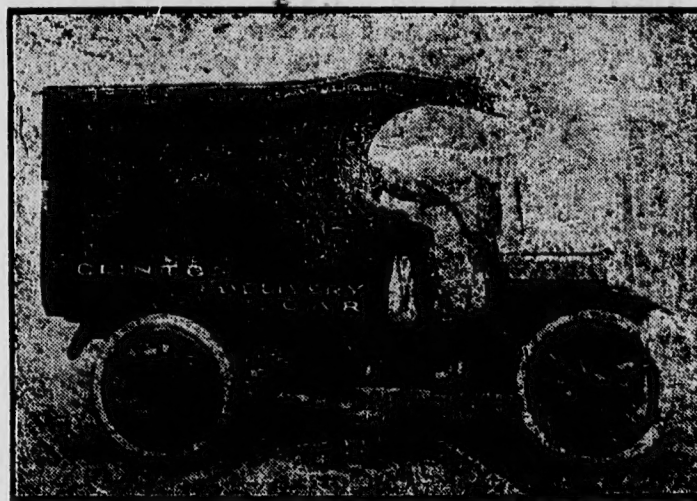
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Mr. Jim McGee, the C. P. R. agent, returned from his vacation on Thursday last. He reports having a splendid time but that the wet weather seemed to be pretty general wherever he went through his holidays.



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Death Claims Alex Ross

Alex Ross, who is well known in Didsbury and this district, died on Monday at the age of 49 years at his home about ten miles west of town. Alex had been in very poor health for a long time but his death came rather unexpectedly at the last, diabetes being the cause. Mr. Ross leaves a widow to mourn his loss besides a brother in Vancouver and several sisters in Scotland. Mr. J. Manson of the Dog Pound Creek being a brother-in-law. Deceased came to this country about thirteen years ago and was always looked up to by his neighbors as a hard working, obliging, kindly dispositioned man. The funeral took place on Wednesday at the Didsbury cemetery.